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14. [redacted] Met with Representative Lucien Nedzi (D., Mich.) outside of the House Chamber and provided him with a copy of the Director's letter to the Postmaster General, of 16 July 1975. Mr. Nedzi had received this information earlier from Representative David Henderson, (D., N.C.) Chairman of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee. I also provided a copy of the letter and alert to the Postmaster General's possible release of it this afternoon to our oversight committees (Messrs. Frank Slatinshek, Ralph Preston, Clark McFadden, and Guy McConnell.).

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15. [redacted] Received a call from Mark Kleinman, on the staff of Representative Les Aspin (D., Wis.), who wanted to talk about Somalia. He asked if there was any possibility that what the members who visited Somalia saw and what has been reported at Berbera does not really exist. I told Kleinman there was no chance of this since not only had the members seen it, but we had photographed it. He said fine and then I went on to ask if I could have someone talk to him about the possibility that the AID cut-off had anything to do with the Somalia coup. I told him I would have [redacted] get in touch with him on this.

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16. [redacted] Walter Elder, of the Review Staff, called to advise me of developments in the [redacted] case involving Representative Timothy E. Wirth (D., Colo.). Elder asked if I saw any reason why he should not send a note to Jim Wilderotter, of the White House staff, on this and I said I did not.

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17. [redacted] Talked with Jack Maury, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Legislative Affairs, who said among other things, that he was accompanying Secretary James R. Schlesinger to a meeting with Senator John L. McClellan (D., Ark.) this afternoon for the purpose of briefing him on "the recent information concerning Chile." He said the Secretary has already seen Chairmen Melvin Price (D., Ill.) and John Stennis (D., Miss.).

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18. [redacted] Received a call from Mark Rosenbaum, in Representative Patricia Schroeder's (D., Colo.) Denver office. He is already doing extensive research on my response to Representative Schroeder's request for Agency [redacted] He asked me specifically about the statutes of Section 654 of Title 5 (referred to in Section 6 of the CIA Act) and I told him that provision of law requiring Civil Service Commission reports had been repealed in 1960.

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